



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books
Search	PubMed	▼ for					Go	Clear
		✓ Limits	Preview/Index	History	Clipboard	Details		
Display		Abstract	▼	Show: 20	▼	Sort	▼	Send to Text

☐ 1: Biochim Biophys Acta 1998 Jun 29;1385(2):323-38

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

Structure and properties of pyruvate decarboxylase and site-directed mutagenesis of the *Zymomonas mobilis* enzyme.

Candy JM, Duggleby RG.

PubMed
Services

Centre for Protein Structure, Function and Engineering, Department of Biochemistry, University of Queensland, Brisbane 4072, Australia.

Pyruvate decarboxylase (EC 4.1.1.1) is a thiamin diphosphate-dependent enzyme that catalyzes the penultimate step in alcohol fermentation. The enzyme is widely distributed in plants and fungi but is rare in prokaryotes and absent in animals. Here we review its structure and properties with particular emphasis on how site-directed mutagenesis of the enzyme from *Zymomonas mobilis* has assisted us to understand the function of critical residues.

Related
Resources

Publication Types:

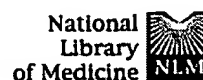
- Review
- Review, Tutorial

PMID: 9655927 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Abstract	▼	Show: 20	▼	Sort	▼	Send to Text
---------	----------	---	----------	---	------	---	--------------

[Write to the Help Desk](#)
[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)
[Department of Health & Human Services](#)
[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Apr 24 2003 12:06:15



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books	
Search	PubMed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> for						Go	Clear
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details									

Display	Abstract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Show: 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
---------	----------	-------------------------------------	----------	-------------------------------------	------	-------------------------------------	---------	------	-------------------------------------

☐ 1: J Bacteriol 1987 Mar;169(3):1024-8

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

Pyruvate decarboxylase of *Zymomonas mobilis*: isolation, properties, and genetic expression in *Escherichia coli*.

Neale AD, Scopes RK, Wettenhall RE, Hoogenraad NJ.

PubMed
Services

Pyruvate decarboxylase (EC 4.1.1.1) from *Zymomonas mobilis* purified to homogeneity by using dye-ligand and ion-exchange chromatography. Antibodies produced against the enzyme and the amino-terminal sequence obtained for the pure enzyme were used to select and confirm the identity of a genomic clone encoding the enzyme selected from a genomic library of *Z. mobilis* DNA cloned into pUC9. The genomic fragment encoding the enzyme expressed high levels of pyruvate decarboxylase in *Escherichia coli*. Possible RNA polymerase and ribosome-binding sites have been identified in the 5'-untranslated region of the pyruvate decarboxylase gene.

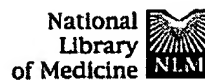
PMID: 3546263 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Related
Resources

Display	Abstract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Show: 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
---------	----------	-------------------------------------	----------	-------------------------------------	------	-------------------------------------	---------	------	-------------------------------------

[Write to the Help Desk](#)
[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)
[Department of Health & Human Services](#)
[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Apr 24 2003 12:46:55



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books	
Search	PubMed	▼	for					Go	Clear
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details									

Display	Abstract	▼	Show: 20	▼	Sort	▼	Send to	Text	▼
---------	----------	---	----------	---	------	---	---------	------	---

☐ 1: Nucleic Acids Res 1987 Feb 25;15(4):1753-61

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

Nucleotide sequence of the pyruvate decarboxylase gene from *Zymomonas mobilis*.

Neale AD, Scopes RK, Wettenhall RE, Hoogenraad NJ.

PubMed
Services

Pyruvate decarboxylase (EC 4.1.1.1), the penultimate enzyme in the alcoholic fermentation pathway of *Zymomonas mobilis*, converts pyruvate to acetaldehyde and carbon dioxide. The complete nucleotide sequence of the structural gene encoding pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis* has been determined. The coding region is 1704 nucleotides long and encodes a polypeptide of 567 amino acids with a calculated subunit mass of 60,790 daltons. The amino acid sequence was confirmed by comparison with the amino acid sequence of a selection of tryptic fragments of the enzyme. The amino acid composition obtained from the nucleotide sequence is in good agreement with that obtained experimentally.

Related
Resources

PMID: 3029726 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Abstract	▼	Show: 20	▼	Sort	▼	Send to	Text	▼
---------	----------	---	----------	---	------	---	---------	------	---

[Write to the Help Desk](#)
[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)
Department of Health & Human Services
[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Apr 24 2003 12:16:41



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books	
Search	PubMed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> for						Go	Clear
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details									

Display	Abstract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Show: 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
---------	----------	-------------------------------------	----------	-------------------------------------	------	-------------------------------------	---------	------	-------------------------------------

☐ 1: J Bacteriol 1988 Jul;170(7):3310-3

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

Comparison of the structural genes for pyruvate decarboxylase in different *Zymomonas mobilis* strains.

Reynen M, Sahm H.

PubMed
Services

Institut fur Biotechnologie, Julich, Federal Republic of Germany.

The nucleotide sequence of the pyruvate decarboxylase gene from *Zymomonas mobilis* ATCC 29191 was determined and compared with the sequence of the corresponding gene in *Z. mobilis* ATCC 31821. Differences were found, leading to variations on the amino acid level and to different sites for restriction endonucleases.

PMID: 2838467 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Related
Resources

Display	Abstract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Show: 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
---------	----------	-------------------------------------	----------	-------------------------------------	------	-------------------------------------	---------	------	-------------------------------------

[Write to the Help Desk](#)
[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)
[Department of Health & Human Services](#)
[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Apr 21 2003 12:40:15



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	MIM	Books
Search PubMed	for						Go	Clear
Limits		Preview/Index		History		Clipboard		Details

Display	Abstract	Shows	20	Sort	Send to	Text
---------	----------	-------	----	------	---------	------

☐ 1: J Bacteriol 1992 Feb;174(4):1397-402

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

Cloning and sequencing of the gene coding for alcohol dehydrogenase of *Bacillus stearothermophilus* and rational shift of the optimum pH.

Sakoda H, Imanaka T.

PubMed
Services

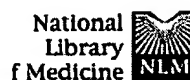
Department of Biotechnology, Faculty of Engineering, Osaka University, Japan.

Related
Resources

Using *Bacillus subtilis* as a host and pTB524 as a vector plasmid, we cloned the thermostable alcohol dehydrogenase (ADH-T) gene (*adhT*) from *Bacillus stearothermophilus* NCA1503 and determined its nucleotide sequence. The deduced amino acid sequence (337 amino acids) was compared with the sequences of ADHs from four different origins. The amino acid residues responsible for the catalytic activity of horse liver ADH had been clarified on the basis of three-dimensional structure. Since those catalytic amino acid residues were fairly conserved in ADH-T and other ADHs, ADH-T was inferred to have basically the same proton release system as horse liver ADH. The putative proton release system of ADH-T was elucidated by introducing point mutations at the catalytic amino acid residues, Cys-38 (cysteine at position 38), Thr-40, and His-43, with site-directed mutagenesis. The mutant enzyme Thr-40-Ser (Thr-40 was replaced by serine) showed a little lower level of activity than wild-type ADH-T did. The result indicates that the OH group of serine instead of threonine can also be used for the catalytic activity. To change the pKa value of the putative system, His-43 was replaced by the more basic amino acid arginine. As a result, the optimum pH of the mutant enzyme His-43-Arg was shifted from 7.8 (wild-type enzyme) to 9.0. His-43-Arg exhibited a higher level of activity than wild-type enzyme at the optimum pH.

PMID: 1735726 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Abstract	Shows	20	Sort	Send to	Text
---------	----------	-------	----	------	---------	------



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	MIM	Books
Search PubMed	[] for						Go	Clear
[x] Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details								

Display	Abstract	[x]	Show: 20	[x]	Sort	[x]	Send to	Text	[x]
---------	----------	-----	----------	-----	------	-----	---------	------	-----

☐ 1: J Biochem (Tokyo) 1996 Sep;120(3):498-504

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

A thermophilic alcohol dehydrogenase from *Bacillus acidocaldarius* not reactive towards ketones.

D'Auria S, La Cara F, Nazzaro F, Vespa N, Rossi M.

PubMed
Services

Institute of Protein Biochemistry and Enzymology, C.N.R., Naples, Italy.
e021rn02@area.ba.enr.it

Related
Resources

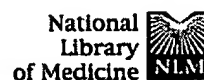
An NAD-dependent alcohol-aldehyde oxidoreductase was purified to homogeneity and characterized from cell extracts of the thermophilic microorganism *Bacillus acidocaldarius*. The 500-fold purified homogeneous enzyme had a molecular mass of 154 kDa, as shown by gel filtration and glycerol gradient centrifugation. On sodium dodecyl sulfate polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis the protein showed one band of 38 kDa, indicating that the enzyme is a tetramer composed of subunits of identical molecular weight. Ethanol was the best substrate with the highest kcat/Km values, and the enzyme showed a substrate specificity that included linear, secondary and cyclic alcohols, as well as anisaldehyde, but it was not active on ketones. The protein contains eight zinc atoms per tetramer, four of which are removed by chelating agents with a concomitant loss of thermal stability. Circular dichroism spectra and determination of the NH2-terminal sequence allowed structural and homology comparison with other alcohol dehydrogenases from animal and bacterial sources.

PMID: 8902612 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Abstract	[x]	Show: 20	[x]	Sort	[x]	Send to	Text	[x]
---------	----------	-----	----------	-----	------	-----	---------	------	-----

[Write to the Help Desk](#)
[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)
[Department of Health & Human Services](#)
[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Apr 24 2003 12:56:45



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books	
Search	PubMed	for						Go	Clear
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details									

Display	Abstract	Show:	20	Sort	Send to	Text
---------	----------	-------	----	------	---------	------

☐ 1: Biol Chem Hoppe Seyler 1996 May;377(5):313-7

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

Purification and characterisation of the pyruvate decarboxylase from a haploid strain of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*.

Killenberg-Jabs M, Konig S, Hohmann S, Hubner G.

PubMed
Services

Martin-Luther-Universitat Halle-Wittenberg, Fachbereich
Biochemie/Biotechnologie, Halle/Saale, Germany.

Related
Resources

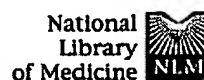
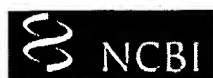
A novel purification procedure was developed for pyruvate decarboxylase (PDC, E.C. 1.1.1.4) from the haploid yeast strain YSH 4.127-1A expressing only one (PDC1) of the three structural genes for PDC. The purified enzyme is homotetrameric with a molecular mass of about 240,000 whereas PDC from brewer's yeast is a dimer of dimers composed of subunits of different size (alpha 2 beta 2) with the same molecular mass as the tetramer. Despite these structural variations there are no significant differences in the kinetic behaviour of the two enzyme species. PDC purified from the haploid yeast mutants shows a sigmoid dependence of the reaction rate from the substrate concentration due to the substrate activation. In the presence of the substrate surrogate pyruvamide the shape of the v/S plot is transformed into a hyperbolic one. As expected, polyclonal antibodies react with both the enzyme from haploid yeast strain mutants and that from brewer's yeast.

PMID: 8828822 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Abstract	Show:	20	Sort	Send to	Text
---------	----------	-------	----	------	---------	------

[Write to the Help Desk](#)
[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)
[Department of Health & Human Services](#)
[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Apr 24 2003 12:56:45



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books
Search PubMed	<input type="checkbox"/>	for	zymomonas AND pyruvate decarboxylase				Go	Clear
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limits		Preview/Index		History	Clipboard	Details		

Field: Title, Limits: Publication Date from 1988/01/01 to 1999/12/31

Display	Summary	<input type="checkbox"/>	Show	20	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input type="checkbox"/>
Items 1-18 of 18										One page.

Entrez
PubMed☐ 1: [Chang AK, Nixon PF, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, LinksAspartate-27 and glutamate-473 are involved in catalysis by *Zymomonas mobilis* pyruvate decarboxylase.

Biochem J. 1999 Apr 15;339 (Pt 2):255-60.

PMID: 10191255 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

PubMed
Services☐ 2: [Tittmann K, Mesch K, Pohl M, Hubner G.](#) Related Articles, LinksActivation of thiamine diphosphate in pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*.

FEBS Lett. 1998 Dec 28;441(3):404-6.

PMID: 9891980 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ 3: [Pohl M, Siegert P, Mesch K, Bruhn H, Grotzinger J.](#) Related Articles, LinksActive site mutants of pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*--a site-directed mutagenesis study of L112, I472, I476, E473, and N482.

Eur J Biochem. 1998 Nov 1;257(3):538-46.

PMID: 9839941 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Related
Resources☐ 4: [Dobritzsch D, Konig S, Schneider G, Lu G.](#) Related Articles, LinksHigh resolution crystal structure of pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*. Implications for substrate activation in pyruvate decarboxylases.

J Biol Chem. 1998 Aug 7;273(32):20196-204.

PMID: 9685367 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ 5: [Candy JM, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, LinksStructure and properties of pyruvate decarboxylase and site-directed mutagenesis of the *Zymomonas mobilis* enzyme.

Biochim Biophys Acta. 1998 Jun 29;1385(2):323-38. Review.

PMID: 9655927 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ 6: [Schenk G, Leeper FJ, England R, Nixon PF, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, LinksThe role of His113 and His114 in pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*.









Eur J Biochem. 1997 Aug 15;248(1):63-71.

PMID: 9310361 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ 7: [Candy JM, Koga J, Nixon PF, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, LinksThe role of residues glutamate-50 and phenylalanine-496 in *Zymomonas mobilis* pyruvate decarboxylase.

Biochem J. 1996 May 1;315 (Pt 3):745-51.

PMID: 8645153 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

- ☐ **8:** [Bruhn H, Pohl M, Grotzinger J, Kula MR.](#) Related Articles, Links
 The replacement of Trp392 by alanine influences the decarboxylase/carboligase activity and stability of pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*.
Eur J Biochem. 1995 Dec 1;234(2):650-5.
PMID: 8536715 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **9:** [Pohl M, Grotzinger J, Wollmer A, Kula MR.](#) Related Articles, Links
 Reversible dissociation and unfolding of pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*.
Eur J Biochem. 1994 Sep 1;224(2):651-61.
PMID: 7925382 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **10:** [Bucher M, Brandle R, Kuhlemeier C.](#) Related Articles, Links
 Ethanolic fermentation in transgenic tobacco expressing *Zymomonas mobilis* pyruvate decarboxylase.
EMBO J. 1994 Jun 15;13(12):2755-63.
PMID: 8026460 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **11:** [Candy JM, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, Links
 Investigation of the cofactor-binding site of *Zymomonas mobilis* pyruvate decarboxylase by site-directed mutagenesis.
Biochem J. 1994 May 15;300 (Pt 1):7-13.
PMID: 8198554 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **12:** [Danilevich VN, Duzhii DE, Braga EA.](#) Related Articles, Links
 [Design of recombinant plasmids for effective *Zymomonas mobilis* pyruvate decarboxylase (pdk) gene expression in *Bacillus subtilis* cells]
Mol Biol (Mosk). 1994 Jan-Feb;28(1):158-66. Russian.
PMID: 8145744 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **13:** [Miczka G, Vernau J, Kula MR, Hofmann B, Schomburg D.](#) Related Articles, Links
 Purification and primary structure of pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*.
Biotechnol Appl Biochem. 1992 Apr;15(2):192-206.
PMID: 1586459 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **14:** [Diefenbach RJ, Candy JM, Mattick JS, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, Links
 Effects of substitution of aspartate-440 and tryptophan-487 in the thiamin diphosphate binding region of pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*.
FEBS Lett. 1992 Jan 13;296(1):95-8.
PMID: 1730299 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]
- ☐ **15:** [Diefenbach RJ, Duggleby RG.](#) Related Articles, Links
 Pyruvate decarboxylase from *Zymomonas mobilis*. Structure and re-activation of apoenzyme by the cofactors thiamin diphosphate and magnesium ion.
Biochem J. 1991 Jun 1;276 (Pt 2):439-45.
PMID: 2049073 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ **16:** [Ohta K, Beall DS, Mejia JP, Shanmugam KT, Ingram LO.](#)

[Related Articles, Links](#)



Genetic improvement of *Escherichia coli* for ethanol production: chromosomal integration of *Zymomonas mobilis* genes encoding pyruvate decarboxylase and alcohol dehydrogenase II.

Appl Environ Microbiol. 1991 Apr;57(4):893-900.

PMID: 2059047 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ **17:** [Zverlov VV, Bankovskii VK, Churikova OV, Mogutov MA, Iur'ev MZ.](#) [Related Articles, Links](#)



[Cloning the pyruvate decarboxylase gene of *Zymomonas mobilis* and its expression in *Escherichia coli*]

Mol Gen Mikrobiol Virusol. 1989 Sep;(9):11-3. Russian.

PMID: 2693955 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

☐ **18:** [Reynen M, Sahm H.](#)

[Related Articles, Links](#)



Comparison of the structural genes for pyruvate decarboxylase in different *Zymomonas mobilis* strains.

J Bacteriol. 1988 Jul;170(7):3310-3.

PMID: 2838467 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Summary	▼	Show: 20	▼	Sort	▼	Send to	Text	▼
Items 1-18 of 18									One page

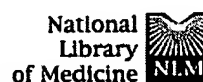
[Write to the Help Desk](#)

[NCBI](#) | [NLM](#) | [NIH](#)

[Department of Health & Human Services](#)

[Freedom of Information Act](#) | [Disclaimer](#)

Spring 2000 12 16 18



PubMed	Nucleotide	Protein	Genome	Structure	PMC	Taxonomy	OMIM	Books
Search PubMed	for						Go	Clear
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details								

Display	Abstract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Show: 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
---------	----------	-------------------------------------	----------	-------------------------------------	------	-------------------------------------	---------	------	-------------------------------------

☐ 1: Int J Biochem Cell Biol 1996 Feb;28(2):239-46

[Related Articles, Links](#)

Entrez
PubMed

ELSEVIER SCIENCE
FULL-TEXT ARTICLE

Purification and characterization of the alcohol dehydrogenase from a novel strain of *Bacillus stearothermophilus* growing at 70 degrees C.

Guagliardi A, Martino M, Iaccarino I, De Rosa M, Rossi M, Bartolucci S.

PubMed
Services

Dipartimento di Chimica Organica e Biologica, Universita di Napoli, Italy.

Related
Resources

The biocatalysts isolated from thermophilic microorganisms are the object of ever-growing scientific interest for (i) the comprehension of the molecular basis of their thermal tolerance, and (ii) their use in different bio-industrial fields. Here we report the purification and characterization of an alcohol dehydrogenase (designated ADH-hT) from the novel strain LLD-R of *Bacillus stearothermophilus* which grows at 70 degrees C. ADH-hT was obtained in pure form by anion exchange chromatography and two affinity chromatographies, with a final yield of about 30%. ADH-hT was found to be a tetramer of 37 kDa-subunits, and to have a pI of 4.9. ADH-hT displayed a broad substrate specificity; its activity was highest for aldehydes, and decreased progressively for alcohols and ketones. ADH-hT was endowed with catalytic activity and resistance in the presence of several denaturing agents (organic solvents, detergents, chaotropic agents). ADH-hT shared with ADH 1503 (the alcohol dehydrogenase from *B. stearothermophilus* strain NCA 1503 which grows at 55 degrees C) the optimal temperature of 65 degrees C, but it was more resistant than ADH 1503 towards heating. In conclusion, due to its stability and broad substrate specificity ADH-hT could be utilized in bio-industrial processes. Furthermore, we believe that ADH-hT could represent a good model system for studying the mechanism(s) which proteins exploit to gain heat resistance.

PMID: 8729010 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Display	Abstract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Show: 20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Send to	Text	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
---------	----------	-------------------------------------	----------	-------------------------------------	------	-------------------------------------	---------	------	-------------------------------------



✓ Limits Preview/Index History Clipboard Details

Display	Abstract	▼	Show:	20	▼	Sort	▼	Send to	Text	▼
---------	----------	---	-------	----	---	------	---	---------	------	---

Related Articles, Links

Promoter and nucleotide sequences of the *Zymomonas mobilis* pyruvate decarboxylase.

Conway T, Osman YA, Konnan JI, Hoffmann EM, Ingram LO.

DNA sequence analysis showed that pyruvate decarboxylase (one of the most abundant proteins in *Zymomonas mobilis*) contains 559 amino acids. The promoter for the gene encoding pyruvate decarboxylase was not recognized by *Escherichia coli*, although the cloned gene was expressed at relatively high levels under the control of alternative promoters. The promoter region did not contain sequences which could be identified as being homologous to the generalized promoter structure for *E. coli*. Hydropathy plots for the amino acid sequence indicated that pyruvate decarboxylase contains a large number of hydrophobic domains which may contribute to the thermal stability of this enzyme.

PMID: 3029037 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE]

Related Resources

Display Abstract Show: 20 Sort Send to Text

Write to the Help Desk
NCBI | NLM | NIH
Department of Health & Human Services
Freedom of Information Act | Disclaimer